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PLAYERS GIVEN A HEARING

National League Magnates Listen to the Demands of the Men. Owners of Clubs Asked to Consider the Wishes of Players in Making Transfers and Holding Claims for Services.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—After trying for two days the national league magnates finally got into session tonight. When the meeting was called to order by President Young...

This was the busiest day that the league magnates have put in. The committee appointed by the league to hear the grievances of the players' protective association went into session this morning.

Relative to the players' demands Mr. Taylor said there were just three defects in the present form of contract that the players wanted corrected.

Both Chairman Soden and Colonel Rogers assured Mr. Taylor that the league would be more expeditiously transacted if presented to the committee.

"We believe," said Mr. Taylor, "that the players and club owners can get together and adjust the matter without resorting to war."

"As to the farming-out system we let it be abolished altogether. There is no justice in it at all for the player. If a man ceases to be valuable to a club, or you have somebody else who can play his position better, why not let him go?"

"As to the system of buying, selling and claiming players the league wants the contract modified so that he will have some power to say whether he will be sold or not."

"What we want is to help the magnates put the game on a better status. The players have talked all these matters over. They agree with you that rosters should be abolished at any cost."

At the conclusion of the hearing Mr. Taylor submitted a draft of the contract the players wanted to see. The committee promised the players to consider the matter at once and give them a decision tomorrow.

WEARY RIDERS IN MIXUP

Contestants in Six-Day Race at Madison Square Garden Go Down in Dismal Struggle.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—With over 1,400 miles clocked off in their pursuit of prizes in the six-day bicycle race at the Madison Square Garden, which ends on Saturday...

The accident which may put Turville and Aaronson out of the race occurred shortly after 9 o'clock. Kaiser and Ryser were riding in the lead...

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UNIONISM FOR PORTO RICO

Labor Federation Urges that Island Tradesmen Be Organized and Allied with General Association. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 12.—The first matter of importance taken up at the annual session of the American Federation of Labor convention was the third clause of the resolutions with reference to the labor unions of Porto Rico.

The convention took adverse action on a resolution instructing the executive council to prepare and endeavor to secure the passage of a bill in Porto Rico which will take prompt action for the purpose of disseminating information in Porto Rico...

The following resolutions were concurred in: Favoring an amendment of the law to provide for only one class under which men shall be employed in the United States navy yards at the standard rate of wages...

An audience of students at the Willoughby hall enjoyed the performance of "A Celebrated Case," given there last night. The play was nicely mounted and well acted.

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HYMENEAL

Stone-McCormick. BALTIMORE, Dec. 12.—Herbert Stewart Stone and Miss Mary Grady McCormick, both of Chicago, were married here today.

The bride is a daughter of William G. McCormick of Chicago and the bridegroom the son of Melville E. Stone, formerly of Chicago, now residing in New York.

Craig-Thompson. TECUMSEH, Neb., Dec. 12.—(Special.)—Miss Anna Thompson and Albert A. Craig were married at the home of the bride near here yesterday.

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